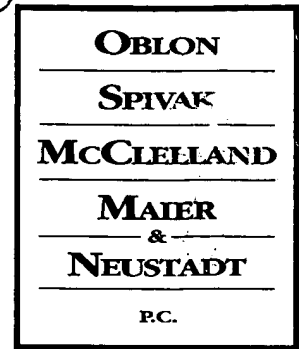




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Re: Inventor: Terrance CHATFIELD, et al.

Serial No: 10/075,233

Filed: February 15, 2002

For: SYSTEM, METHOD, AND COMPUTER PROGRAM PRODUCT
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SELECT A NEW SERVICE PROVIDER FOLLOWING A
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BETWEEN THEIR CURRENT SERVICE PROVIDER AND THE
OPERATOR OF THE OPEN ACCESS NETWORK

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Attached hereto for filing are the following papers:

Request for Extension of Time (1 Month)
Notice to File Missing Parts
Filing of Declaration/Supplemental Application Data Sheets (3 Pages)
Declaration
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Cited Pending Applications (4)

Our check in the amount of \$55.00 is attached covering any required fees. In the event that any variance exists between the amount enclosed and the Patent Office charges for filing the above-noted documents, including any fees required under 37 CFR 1.136 for any necessary Extension of Time to make the filing of the attached documents timely, please charge or credit the difference to our Deposit Account No. 15-0030. Further, if these papers are not considered timely filed, then a petition is hereby made under 37 CFR 1.136 for the necessary extension of time. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.

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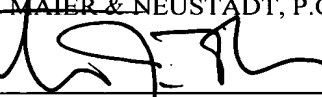
Responsive to the notification dated March 13, 2002, and in accordance with the provisions of 37 CFR 1.53(f), Applicants submit herewith a Rule 63 Declaration. An Application Data Sheet is submitted to include the third and fourth inventors.

The required fee was paid at the time of filing the application.

In light of the foregoing, this application is deemed to be in proper condition for examination and such favorable action is earnestly solicited.

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- The oath or declaration is missing.

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